

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
LEWIS COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

IN RE: APPROVING THE INTERLOCAL }  
AGREEMENT BETWEEN LEWIS }  
COUNTY AND THURSTON COUNTY }  
FOR COOPERATIVE GOVERNMENTAL }  
PURCHASING }

RESOLUTION NO. 04-185

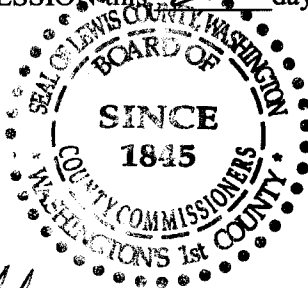
WHEREAS, Thurston County has prepared an Interlocal Agreement with Lewis County, both municipal corporations of the State of Washington, for cooperative governmental purchasing of supplies, material, equipment, or services that may be required from time to time; And

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners has had an opportunity to review the Interlocal Agreement, attached as Exhibit A; And

WHEREAS, it appears to be in the best public interest to authorize this Interlocal Agreement; NOW, THEREFORE

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners that the Interlocal Agreement between Lewis County and Thurston County is hereby approved, and the Board of County Commissions is authorized to execute the Interlocal Agreement.

DONE IN OPEN SESSION this 24<sup>th</sup> day of MAY, 2004.



ATTEST:

Karisa Duffey  
Karisa Duffey, Clerk of the  
Board of County Commissioners

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
LEWIS COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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Member  
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Member

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Douglas Jensen  
Chief Civil Deputy

By: [Signature]  
Civil Deputy

## **INTERLOCAL COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT BETWEEN COUNTIES FOR COOPERATIVE PURCHASING**

This Agreement is made this day by and between Lewis County, Washington, and Thurston County, Washington, each being a political subdivision and municipal corporation of the State of Washington, acting pursuant to the authority of RCW Chapter 39.34.

WHEREAS, the parties may from time to time purchase goods and services pursuant to competitive bidding; and

WHEREAS, the parties wish to avoid the unnecessary expense and time delays of duplicative competitive bidding; and

NOW THEREFORE, the parties do hereby agree as follows:

1. Each party hereby agrees to extend to the other the right to purchase goods and services under contracts awarded through its competitive bidding process.
2. Each notice issued by a party requesting competitive bids for goods or services shall inform bidders of the right of other public entities to acquire goods and services from the successful bidder.
3. Neither party shall be responsible to the other for the performance of any vendor.
4. Neither party shall be responsible to the other for payment to any vendor.
5. Both parties reserve the right to independently contract for goods and services and may, without notice to the other, specifically exclude the other from purchasing under specific purchasing contracts.
6. Any purchases by either party shall be affected by a purchase order from such party and directed to the vendor.
7. Each party shall independently comply with any additional laws and other requirements regulating purchases of goods and services.
8. This Agreement shall remain in force for a period of five (5) years, unless terminated early by thirty (30) days prior written notice from one party to the other.

This Agreement is hereby approved by the respective Board of County Commissioners for each County.

LEWIS COUNTY, WASHINGTON  
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Adopted: May 24, 2004

Eric Johnson  
Chairman

Richard A. Hahn  
Commissioner

Dennis Hadaller  
Commissioner

ATTEST:

Kristin Ruff  
Clerk of the Board



APPROVED AS TO FORM:

JEREMY RANDOLPH  
PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Civil Deputy

THURSTON COUNTY, WASHINGTON  
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Adopted: June 14, 2004

Glenn Chergue  
Chairman

Robert H. Hatched  
Commissioner

Gary Hulse  
Dennis Hadaller  
Commissioner

ATTEST:

LaBorita J. Bowma  
Clerk of the Board

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

EDWARD G. HOLM  
PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Deputy Prosecuting Attorney